night of the 18th, of pneumonia. A NEWSPAPER of Sofia announces that the Turkish government has called revery of state as to the operation of the reciupon Bulgaria, as the vassal of Turkey, to hand passports to all the Greek consuls in Bulgaria.

EMPEROR WILLIAM of Germany arrived in Vienna, on the 21st, and was ing hour was taken up by Mr. Morgan in furwelcomed at the railroad station by ther discussion of his resolution declaring that Austrian archdukes.

THE Imperial Ottoman bank of Congovernment to establish at Flassona, and maintain at its own expense, a hospital for the wounded.

progress having for its object the rev- ter a brief discussion ..... The house was not in ocation of that part of the civil service rules which applies to the clerical force of pension agencies. It is charged that \$100,000,000 set

been misappropriated by English officials. The details of the charges rival the case of Warren Hastings. REPRESENTATIVE HOLMAN, of Indiana,

who is suffering from serious complications following a fall from a Washington city street car, was, on the 19th, reported better but still in a dangerous condition. THE United States weather bureau,

formation that 800 square miles of the state of Arkansas was under water and tinue to rise. M. M. BAKER, a lynotype operator in

record for eight hours machine composition, setting in that time 85,872 ems of solid nonpariel. RICCOTTI GARIBALDI, son of the famous Gen. Garibaldi, accompanied by a Garibaldian veteran, Col. Gatterno, sailed

from Rome, on the 21st, for Greece, where he will take part in the war against the Turks. At the request of the Turkish government the Egyptian government, on

the 20th, handed the Greek diplomatic agent, M. S. Cryparis, his passports, and ordered all Greeks to leave Egypt within a fortnight. THE government has won the famous

"Hat Trimming" case in the Philadel- statue surpassed all records. phia courts, which involves several million dollars in duties from importfor a long time past.

A squadron of eight British war ships arrived at Lorenzo Marquez, Delagoa bay, on the 21st. The advent of p. m. the squadron caused much excitement. Six of the ships entered the river, and two others remained in the bay.

FAILURES throughout the United States, for the week ended on the 23d, as reported by R. G. Dun & Co., were 218, against 238 for the corresponding week last year. For Canada the failures were 21, against 44 last year.

IT is learned that the present visit of B squadron of eight British war ships to Delagoa bay is intended to frustrate the intrigues of Germany, Portugal quo to the disadvantage of Great Brit-

Ir is said that the president in se lecting John W. Foster to represent this country in the forthcoming negotiations for a settlement of the Behring sea difficulties, has conferred upon him the highest diplomatic rank and

CONSUL-GENERAL LEE, at Havana, cabled the state department, on the 23d, that John J. Kelly, of Philadelphia, had been released and would leave the island. Nothing is known at the de partment of the conditions under which Kelly was arrested.

THE curfew ordinance became a law in Springfield, O., on the 21st. All in bed by eight o'clock in the winter perior court at Minneapolis. months and nine o'clock in the summer months. The purpose is to rigidly enforce the ordinance.

THE Rome correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette telegraphed to his paper, received there from Athens expressing | mounted. fear that, should the Greeks suffer further reverses and the Turks occupy La-

O., who is to go to Cuba to witness the recommendation. inquiry into the Ruiz case, arrived in Washington city on the 18th. He expected to spend some days in the ex- Perces warrior, to accompany Col. amination of papers on file at the state | Cody in his Wild West show. Chief department and afterward to proceed Joseph is the famous Nez Perces chief to Havana to continue the inquiry.

States, on the 19th, refused the application for a writ of certiorari and habeas corpus by Elverton R. Chapman, 21st, from Tahiti, brought news conthe broker who refused to testify in firming the report that Queen Namae the sugar speculation investigation of Raiatea, one of the Society islands, whether senators had speculated in su- had been captured by the French and gar stocks while the Wilson tariff bill was before that body.

PRESIDENT DIAZ' staff military band, composed of 42 pieces, under the leadership of Capt. Encarnacion Payen, passed through Chihuahua, Mex., on the 21st, en route to New York, where it will represent the Mexican government in the Grant memorial exercises. The expenses of the trip are borne by the Mexican government.

THE agricultural department is being importuned from all parts of the country for sugar beet seed. In view of the unsatisfactory prices received Cincinnati murderers, were electro- May 1 to October 31. for staple crops during the past few cuted at the Ohio penitentiary annex, Joseph E. Kelly, charged with the years, and the prospective increase in the first under the Ohio law, on the murder of Cashier Joseph A. Stickney the duty on sugar, farmers in all sections of the Union evidently intend to tions were completely successful, not a Somersworth, N. H., pleaded guilty in experiment with beet-sugar culture.

Acciarito attempted to stab King Hum- eighty-eighth birthday anniversary, on age off Tompkinsville, Staten Island, bert of Italy while on his way to the the 22d, at her home in Canton, O. on the 25th, and sailed up the North advanced age of 85 years, 1 month and races on the 22d. He was seized before She was in excellent health, barring river to its new anchorage off Grant's 18 days. he could carry out his purpose, and the slight attacks of rheumatism. afterward the recipient of wild demon-strations of delight over his escape.

navy yard, on the 22d, and caused a loss authorities for more tents to shelter the homeless flood sufferers.

# Fron County Register. NEWS AND NOTES.

A Summary of Important Events. FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

(Special Session.) In the senate, on the 19th, the Indian appro

priation bill was passed substantially as it bassed the house, save the amendment opening the Uncompangre Indian reservation. Resolutions of inquiry were agreed to asking the secrocity treaties made under the McKinley act. After an executive session the senate adjourned as a mark of respect to Representative Milliken, deceased ..... The house was not in session on the 19th. In the senate, on the 20th, most of the morn-

Emperor Francis Joseph and all the a state of war exists in Cuba, after which the agricultural appropriation bill was taken up and passed. After a brief executive session the bankruptcy bill was formally laid before the senate and Mr. Bacon (dem., Ga.) submitted Christian association building in stantinople has offered the Turkish numerous amendments modifying the stringency of the original bill as applicable to debt-ors. A resolution by Mr. Hoar was agreed to asking the secretary of state for comprehensive information as to the machinery of government, etc., of all foreign na ions with which we A MOVEMENT is understood to be in have diplomatic relations, which went over af-

In the senate, on the 21st, Mr. Mason (Iil.) made his maiden speech in support of a resolu-tion offered by him directing the committee on rules to report a rule by which debate could be closed and the previous question ordered. A aside for Indian famine sufferers has vote was taken on Mr. Morgan's motion to refer the resolution to the rules committee, which resulted: Yeas, 32; nays, 24. It was agreed that a committee of 15 senators should represent the senate at the coming Grant memorial ....In the house, at the close of the chaplain's prayer, the death of Represents- an ax, severing the head entirely tive Milliken, of Maine, was announced by from the body, and then poured oil on Mr. Dingley, and out of respect to his memory

the house, at 12:10, p. m., adjourned.

In the senate, on the 22d, Mr. Allen (Neb.) offered a resolution providing that the president express the sympathy of the American people to the government of Greece, and declaring that the present contest was one between Christianity and Paganism. The resoluon the 17th, gave out the startling intion was referred to the committee on foreign relations. The bankruptcy bill, framed by Mr. Nelson (Minn.) as a substitute for the Torrey that the Mississippi river would con- bill, was passed. The homestead bill was made the unfinished business, and a committee of 15 was named to represent the senate at the Grant order was adopted providing for the considerathe office of the Seattle (Wash.) Post- tion of the senate amendments to the Indian Intelligencer, has made a new world's appropriation bill without reference to a comittee. While the amendments were being debated the death of Mr. Holman, of Indiana, was | the 23d, by his former secretary and announced, and as a mark of respect the house

adjourned. THE senate was not in session on the 23d .... In the house consideration of the senate amend-ments to the Indian appropriation bill was solution was adopted by which a committee of 25 was appointed to attend the dedication of the Grant Mansoleum in New York on the 27th. The house then agreed to a programme of three-

### PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

PRIMROSE day, the anniversary of the death of Lord Beaconsfield, was obusual display of his favorite flower. law. The decoration of the Beaconsfield

gold reserve, \$154,659,546. On the 19th the senate agreed to vote

THE statement of the condition of the treasury, on the 20th, showed:

Available cash balance, \$224,069,179; gold reserve, \$154,711,364. THE White Squadron, under command of Rear-Admiral Bunce, arrived at New York, on the 20th, from Fortress Monroe, to take part in the Grant monument dedication. The squadron

includes the New York, flagship; the

battleships Maine and Texas, the cruiser Raleigh and the coast defense vessels Amphitrite and Terror. BURGLAR FRANK CONNORS and Highwayman Ben Johnson, desperate crimand the Transvaal to change the status | inals, seriously and perhaps fatally

wounded Jailer Charles Fay at the Wyandotte county jail in Kansas City, Kas., on the 20th, while attempting to escape. Gov. ADAMS of Colorado, on the 20th, vetoed the bill regulating the manuture and sale of oleomargarine. The veto message was sensational in the man.

extreme, as the governor included in his message a letter from a Denver turer in Chicago, going to show that the bill was passed by means of the during confinement. most open and bare-faced bribery. SHERIFF BURR, of Los Angeles, Cal., received a telegram from the sheriff of

Hennepin county, Minn., on the 20th, requesting him to arrest Mrs. Laura Austin on a charge of abducting her own child, which was awarded to the boys and girls under 16 years must be custody of her ex-husband by the su-

THE Sons of Confederate Veterans held a meeting in the Hotel Marlborough, New York city, on the 20th, and perfected arrangements for participating in the Grant parade on the 27th. It is expected that there will be about on the 21st, saying a dispatch had been | 500 sons in the parade, most of them

THE Pennsylvania board of pardons, on the 20th, recommended commutarissa, a revolution will break out at tion of the death sentence imposed upon James B. Gentry for the murder of Actress Madge York to imprisonment JUDGE WILLIAM R. DAY, of Canton, for life. Gov. Hastings approved the

THE interior department has granted permission to Chief Joseph, the Nez captured by Generals Miles and How-

THE supreme court of the United 3,000 miles toward the British frontier. THE barkentine City of Papeete, which arrived at San Francisco, on the sent into exile with her husband and principal chiefs.

FRANK EVANS, the lightweight pugilist, died of concussion of the brain, on his staff from the very beginning. the 22d, caused by a right-hand blow on the chin delivered by Matt Semichy in the fourteenth round of a fight before the San Jose (Cal.) Athletic club. | will leave Washington early in May. Semichy was arrested for manslaugh-

THE president, on the 21st, sent to H. Smith, to be surveyor of customs at | the encampment of the Tennessee na-

the port of St. Louis.

hitch occurring. NANCY ALLISON MCKINLEY, mother 34th. A POLITICAL fanatic named Pietro of the nation's president, celebrated her THE white squadron left its anchor-

king proceeded to the Campanelle race | Fire broke out in store houses numcourse, seemingly unmoved. He was ber one and two in the Washington war department from the Mississippi

ROBERT W. HAMER, & Well-known retired broker living at 1957 Deming court, Chicago, committed suicide, on the 22d, by shooting himself through the heart. Despondency over ill-health is supposed to have been the cause.

THE post office department has issued a fraud order against the Financial and

Commercial Co. of Chicago. FIVE masked men broke into the resdence of John Quinlan, at Niles, O., on the 22d, and, after gagging and binding him, ransacked the house and secured \$1,200 in currency, besides lots of valuable jewelry.

REPRESENTATIVE HOLMAN, of Indiana, died at his home in Washington city, on the 22d, at 2:05 p. m., after an illness of some weeks. Spinal meningitis was the cause.

THE general conference of the super-

intendents of the Baptist missions of the west, met in the Young Men's Omaha, Neb., on the 22d. Many prominent missionary workers from western states and territories were present. IRA STANSBURY, of St. Louis, aged 77, got angry at Motorman James E. Tharp, on the 23d, because the latter

insisted that Stansbury get his buggy off the car track, and, stopping the wehicle right in front of the car, let down his buggy top and deliberately shot Tharp, fortunately, however, inflicting only a flesh wound. Stansbury was arrested. Ar Williamsport, Mich., on the 23d,

Mrs. Albert Hovey, aged 32 years, mur-

dered her mother-in-law, aged 80, with

the lifeless body and set it on fire. In response to an inquiry from Washington, the Commercial club of Omaha, Neb., on the 23d, wired an offer to furnish warehouses for the Indian supply depot free of cost to the govern-

ment for five years. PRESIDENT MCKINLEY decided, on the 23d, to nominate Wm. R. Day, of Canton, O., to be first assistant secretary of state, and ex-Representative Memorial dedication ..... In the house a special Bellamy Storer, of Cincinnati, to be minister to Belgium.

JOHN H. RAAP, a Chicago wholesale liquor dealer, was shot and killed, on confidential clerk, who afterward put the revolver to his own temple and killed himself.

ACCOMPANIED by 50 or 60 Chinamen completed and the bill was sent to conference. A of high and low degree, Wu Ting Fung, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary from China to the United States, Spain and Peru, reached day adjournments for the ensuing week and Chicago, on the 23d, on his way to Washington, and after a drive through the principal streets of the city, left over the Panhandle for Washington.

Representative Dorr, of West Virginia, introduced a bill in the house, served in London, on the 19th, with the on the 23d, to repeal the civil-service

A CORRESPONDENT of the London bronicle in Cuba writes: "The report THE statement of the condition of that the insurgent party is dead and a the treasury, on the 19th, showed: thing of the past is an erroneous rumor. ers, and which has been in the courts Available cash balance, \$225,383,008; It would be hard, indeed, to find a more lively corpse. The insurgents were never in a better condition to fight than on the arbitration treaty on May 5 at 4 now, the season being in their favor, and they lack neither food, clothing

nor ammunition." A London dispatch of the 23d said the situation at Constantinople was deemed to be extremely critical, and unless Osman could gain a conspicuous triumph the cataclysm of Constantinople, which the powers have disgracefully compromised themselves in trying to prevent, might come at any moment.

Central Iowa, portions of Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and Ohio were visited, on the 23d, with destructive rain and wind storms. At Des Moines, Ia., three inches of rain fell, and much damage was done to railroad and other property in that vicinity.

MRS. CHRISTIANA BONEKESSEL died recently at Bessemer, Mich. Those who knew her best say she was 99 years old. She was married 18 times, the last time, only six months ago, to a young

A London dispatch announces the death, at Sandringham, at three o'clock lawyer to an oleomargarine manufac- on the morning of the 24th, of Princess May of Teck, duchess of York,

LATE NEWS ITEMS. THE weekly statement of the New York city associated banks for the week ended on the 24th showed the following changes: Reserve, increase, \$2,291,000; loans, increase, \$859,000; specie, increase, \$443,400; legal tender, increase, \$3,323,600; deposits, increase, \$5,925,000; circulation, decrease,

In a duel between M. Clemenceau, editor of the Echo de Paris, and the prince de Chimay, on the 25th, growing out of an article by the former on the prohibition of the princess de Chimay's appearing at the Folies Bergere, the first named was severely, but not

dangerously, wounded. A DISPATCH from Paris, on the 24th, said, the shah of Persia, Mazafer Ed Din, was alarmingly ill. Mazafer Ed Din was born March 25, 1853, and succeeded his father, who was assassinated on May 1, 1895. Mazafer Ed Din

is the second son of the late shah. THE funeral of Hon. Wm. S. Holman, who had represented the Fourth Indiana district in congress many years, ard in 1877, after a pursuit of nearly was very largely attended at Aurora, Ind., on the 25th. Judge Holman was born in Aurora 74 years ago and always lived there. Everybody knew

THE London Daily Chronicle's Athens correspondent, on the 25th, said: King George means to go to the front and make a decided stand at Pharsala. which was the line of defense advised by Gen. Vosseur and some members of

GEN. MILES has been notified of the president's approval of his projected visit to the seat of war in Europe. He probably taking passage on the St.

Paul from New York. FIRST LIEUT. JAMES A. MANEY, Fifth the senate the nomination of Charles infantry, has been detailed to attend tional guard and encampments at the WILLIAM HAAS and William Wylie, Tennessee Centennial exposition from

the municipal court of that city on the

tomb. An appeal has been received by the

### MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

The Missouri Crop Report. The crop bulletin, issued by the Missouri section, climate and erop service, weather bureau, for the week ended April 20, says:

The past week has been much more favorable for farm work than any previous week this season, and in most sections of the state considerable progress has been made in sowing oats and preparing ground for corn. The rainfall was generally very light, and there was a good percentage of sunshine. The temperature.however, was much below the normal and in consequence, vegetation has made but little advancement Heavy frosts occurred on several dates, and in some of the southern counties early strawberries are reported killed. Tree fruits are also reported damaged in some localities, but it is believed that as a result they have so far escaped serious injury. Oat-sowing is nearly completed in many of the central and southern counties, and is in progress in the northern sections. Corn-planting has been commenced in most of the central and southern counties, and in a few of the southwestern counties is well advanced. Over a large portion of the state, however, the ground is still wet and cold. Flax sowing is in progress in the southwest, and cotton planting has commenced in Dunklin county. Except in a few counties, gardening and potato planting have progressed slowly. Winter wheat, clover and grasses and oats that are up are doing well, considering the cold weather.

# Can Be Removed.

The following pension examining boards in Missouri are not under the civil-service law, and the members may be removed:

Osceola, Ste. Genevieve, Marshall, Lancaster, Memphis, Galena, Milan, Houston, Nevada, Marshfield, Grant City, Mansfield, Hannibal, Princeton, Eldon, Versailles, Wellsville, Neosho, Maryville, Alton, Gainesville, Caruthersville, Sedalia, Rolla, Louisiana, Boli-"ar, Unionville, Moberly, Appleton City, Doniphan, Fayette, Ironton, West Plains, Carthage, Joplin, DeSoto, Holden, Warrensburg, rensburg, Lebanon, Lexington, Mount Vernon, Pierce City, Laclede, Chillicothe, Pineville, Macon, Fredericktown, Kahoka, Ozark, Cameron, Boonville, Greenfield, Buffalo, Gallatin, Salem, Malden. Albany, Washington Springfield, Trenton, Lamar, Bethany, Clinton, Hermitage, Forest City, Kirksville, Tarkio, Mexico, Cassville, Butler, Warsaw, Marble Hill, Columbia, Popular Bluff. Hamilton. Cape Girardeau, Carrollton, Grandin, Harrisonville, El Dorado Springs, Salisbhry.

### Jasper County's Narrow Escape.

Says a dispatch from Carthage: The committee sent by the Commercial club o Jefferson City to investigate the recent order of the state board of equalization increasing the assessment of Jasper county 20 per cent. on teal estate and 20 per cent. on personal property has returned, and the board of directors of the club held a meeting with the county board, and received the report made by J. D. Clarkson, committeeman. He and Auditor Seibert found that a mistake of \$2,000,000 had been made by reading Johnson county's assessment for that of Jasper. The error was corrected, and the increase on real estate struck off and the personal reduced to 10 per cent. Had the error not been discovered by the Commercial club's committee it would have cost the taxpayers of Jasper county \$40,000.

#### After a Short Courtship. J. J. Ballenberg, of Dallas county, was married near Davis, Ind., the other

day to Miss Pearl E. Wagner. The bridegroom gave his age as 76, while the bride is 24. The marriage was the sequel of one week's courtship. Ballenberg advertised in a matrimonial journal for a wife. Miss Wag ner answered, accompanying her letter with her photograph. Ballenberg wired that he would meet her. He kept his appointment: mutual pledges were exchanged, and four hours after they were joined in matrimony.

Her Clothing Caught Fire. Mrs. John Moore, of Bevier, while working around her cook-stove, got too

Her dress caught fire and she ran out into the yard, fanning the flames, until they enshrouded her. Her hair was burned off and it is probable that she will die from her burns. She had but recently married, having come to Bevier from Death of a Wealthy Platte County Man.

Clinton Cockrill, one of the oldest residence of his son-in-law, J. T. Mason. Mr. Cockrill was one of the wealthiest men in the county, where he located in 1842, and acquired several thousand acres of Platte county land. His wealth is estimated at from \$800,000

Expenses of the General Assembly. The following were the expenses of the late session of the general assem-

Per diem of members. . Contingent expenses of the senate... 37.035-37 Contingent expenses of the house... 52.357-37

Marched with the Pathfinder. Thomas E. Breckinridge did at Han-

nibal recently. The deceased was one of the survivors of the Fremont expedition to California in 1848, where nearly the entire force died from starvation. The remains were taken to Troy, Lincoln coun-Says They Are Anxlous.

Members of the legislature continue to talk about an extra session. It seems that most of them are very anxious to have one called.-Kansas City Times.

Oldest in America. DeWitt C. Taylor, first lieutenant of veteran Co. A, Third regiment, and said to be the oldest national guardsman in America, died at Kansas City, aged 82.

Cut His Opponent's Throat. Several tramps got into an argument at Trenton the other night and a fight ensued. One cut the throat of another inflicting probably a fatal wound. Chinch-bug Experiment.

The authorities of the Missouri experiment station have decided to continue their experiments with chinchbug infection this spring.

Lloyd the Democratic Nominee. Official figures in the democratic primary in the First congressional district resulted in a plurality for J. L. Lloyd, of Shelby, of 204. Some Farmers Make Money.

John Rush, of Bates county, had on the Kansas City market the other day 21 steers, which averaged 1,340 pounds, and were sold at \$4.70. Hodgen Medical Association.

The Hodgen Medical association, comprising the counties of Bates, Cass and Vernon, met at Nevada. There was a good attendance. Elder George G. Cowan. Elder George G. Gowan, a well-known

Christian minister, who lived near Ozark, Christian county, died recently, aged about 50. Surveyor of Customs at St. Louis. The president has appointed Charles H. Smith surveyor of customs at the port of St. Louis. The position pays

\$5,000 salary. Bolte in the Gubernatorial Chair. Lieut.-Gov. A. H. Bolte will occupy the executive chair during the remain-Springs, Ark. A Lincoln County Pioneer.

Was Prominent in St. Francois Dr. A. W. Keith, aged 62, one of the most prominent citizens of St. Francois county, died at his home in Bonne esty.

John Gentry, a pioneer citizen of

## STILL TRIUMPHANT.

The Valorous Greeks Victorious at All Points.

Crown Prince Constantine's Report-The Turks Greatly Dismayed by the Destruction of Their Stores at Katerina and Litochorion.

Crown Prince Constantine's Report to the King. London, April 23 .- The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says that the Crown Prince Constantine has

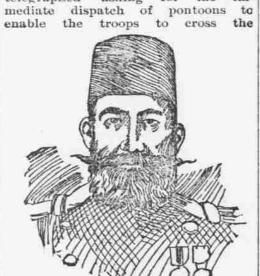
wired to King George as follows: "The Turks are quiet to-day, owing to our success yesterday (Thursday). We have destroyed the Turkish battery at Ligeria. The Turks have retired from Nezeros and Rapsani. The action of our fleet at Katerina was excellent. I was in the first line of fire yesterday."

The Chronicle's correspondent says: the destruction of their stores at Katerina and Litochorion. Commodore Sachtouris destroyed the stores from the coast to the foot of Mount Olympus. Nothing remains, therefore, for Edhem Pasha to carry away but hunger. The attitude of foreign powers on questions suicide. coast road being barred, the only remaining road from Salonica is the Ferri road, eight days from Elassona. The reports of the injury to the railway line by the blowing up of bridges and a tunnel are confirmed.

Financially, everything is going well, and the value of paper money has risen. It is reported here (Athens) that the Turkish troops will be withdrawn from Crete. Private advices from Volo say that

all the villages between Katerina and Veria have risen. rived here are several who state that a but 5,641,001, against 5,933,199 last year, number of the Greeks wounded at Atlantic exports begin to gain slightly, Glibovali, and unable to follow the amounting to 1,190,329 bushels, flour Greek relief, were shut up in a small

A Turkish Explanation of Non-Success. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 22.—(Delayed in transmission)—It is stated here that one of the Turkish brigades which had been pushed forward on the plains of Larissa has been unable to advance rains and the consequent rise of the flour, and may soon exceed the total River Salambria. Edhem Pasha has exports of wheat and flour from both telegraphed asking for the im- coasts. mediate dispatch of pontoons to



EDHEM PASHA.

Commander of the Turkish Forces Recalled. river, the Greeks having blown up the bridges. These reports have had a very depressing effect here, when taken in conjunction with the formidacitizens of Platte county, died at the | ble resistance which the Turks have met with around Tyrnavo. It is stated that Osman Pasha, the hero of Plevna, 111/2 cents, with production 17,283 is to be sent to the seat of war in order tons in March. The end of stipulated to direct the military operations against curtailment has been reached by some the Greeks.

Additional Forces Ordered Out-Edham Pasha Superseded by the Hero of Plevna. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23 - After noon.-An additional force of Rediffs, or army reserves, has been called out to reinforce the Turkish troops operating against the Greeks. They consist | rivals of quantities sold some time ago of the Koniah brigade from Ceraria, a and imports at Boston for the week delegation from Samyra belonging to the Third army corps; three brigades cities sales were 34,036,800 pounds in from the Fourth army corps and a di- three weeks, 20,271,300 being foriegn, vision of the Fifth army corps. These men will total up 72 additional battalions of troops numbering 50,400 men. are doing scarcely anything, and or-It is now definitely announced that ders for goods improve very little, Osman Pasha, the hero of Pievna, has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Turkish army having its headquar- in the United States, against 238 last ters at Elassona. Edham Pasha has year, and 21 in Canada, against 44 last been recalled. In addition Saad Edin year. Pasha has been appointed to command the Turkey army having its headquar ters at Janina, replacing Ahmed Hifzi For Christian Endeavor Passenger Traffic

Pasha who is also recalled. The new Turkish commanders start

for their posts at once. Will Call Out the Militia. ATHENS, April 23 .- It has been decided to call out the several regiments

of the landwehr or militia. In Greece all able-bodied males, from 21 years of age and upwards, are liable to be called upon for military service. The total service is for 19 years, of which four years (with considerable leaves of absence) must be passed with the colors; eight and seven years are then passed in the reserves and the remainder of the total term of 19 years is passed in the militia or land-

Started for the Frontier. din Pasha who has been appointed to

his suite, this evening. Hasty Flight of Turkish Households. ARTA, April 22.-6 P. M.-The Turks have abandoned Kafia and Kosnitzadeson on the left bank of the Arachphes. The inhabitants left precipitately, abandoning their belongings. All along the route to Fort Imaret (cap | gree, Wu Ting Fang, envoy extraor-

dences of hasty flight. He was received with acclamation by local Chinese merchants, who accomthe population. A number of Greek panied them on a drive through the wounded have been brought to Fillipiada. The dead were left unburied.

Suspended the Bombardment of Prevesa-CORFU, April 23.-The western Greek squadron of warships has suspended the bombardment of Prevesa, the Turkish position north of the entrance of the gulf of Arta, and left for Santi Quaranta. On arrival there they began bombarding the Turkish block-house.

Lincoln county, died recently at the News of Defeat Reaches Constantinople. Berlin, April 23.—The Frankfort Zeitung publishes a dispatch from ConTHE STATE OF TRADE.

lo.'s weekly review of trade says:

ummary of Business Conditions as In dicated by R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly Review-Business Fallures for the Week NEW YORK, April 24.-R. G. Dun &

If either Turkey or Greece had been wholly buried in the sea, markets might have been affected less than by the outbreak of war in Europe. Like fire in the heart of a crowded city it raised the question whether a general conflagration may spring out of it. To this possibility and not to the direct influence of either Turkey or Greece upon the world's money or produce markets was due the excitement in grain and stocks. As the unknown is magnified, American markets were much more flighty than European, where the possibilities counted for months. But the uncertainty remains and will affect the movement of money and staples until of securities at times, but also more and not improbably influencing the important to this country.

Wheat rose six cents from Thursday to Monday, and has retained most of higher prices being possible there, a was in good order. larger share of the requirements of western Europe may naturally be chance of a war between the great powers has the more influence, because supplies there are not large. While western receipts do not yet in-Among the wounded who have ar- crease, and in three weeks have been included, against 1,085,764 last year, church by the Turks, who set fire to and for three weeks have been 3,588,the building and burned them to death. 170 bushels, against 3,453,079 last year. troops. But the great 'increase is in corn, on

which the price has scarcely advanced, though Atlantic exports were 4,189,146 bushels, against 2,624,732 last year. Already the exports for the crop year have been 33,000,000 bushels larger further, owing to floods caused by than Atlantic exports of wheat and

> Cotton has been affected scarcely at all, though government estimates that the flood districts yielded nearly 590,-000 bales, for increased acreage in other sections is generally reported.

The past week, like others of late, has witnessed the starting of operations by several iron works, especially the supply. Bessemer pig has sold as low as \$9.05 at Pittsburgh and gray forge at \$5.50 in Birmingham. Steel billets fell to \$14.25 at Pittsburgh and angles to 1 cent, but wire rods cannot Nails are strong, and a few more structural orders are pending. Eastern works also have orders for 15,000 tons of steel rails.

Complaint and proof that the demand for the products is deficient, blinds many to the fact that the actual work in progress, largely the heavy orders for beams, billets, rails and sheet bars taken when the pools broke up, is of greater volume than for a long

Large sales of copper are reported at cotton mills, and nearly by all, and since the auction sales some ble ached goods have been slightly advanced, but actual buying does not increase and print cloths do not improve. Sales of wool have been largely of

foreign, reports being swelled by arwere 32,000 bales. For the three chief against 15,906,100 in 1892, including 8,564,000 foreign. But manufacturers

though for somewhat better grades. Failures for the week have been 218

THE ONE-WAY RATE PLAN

to San Francisco. CHICAGO, April 24.—At a meeting of the western roads yesterday afternoon, held to consider Christian Endeavor rates, a resolution was submitted for the adoption of a one-way rate of \$25 in both directions between Chicago and San Francisco via the Missouri river, and \$32.50 via St. Paul and Portland. This resolution is assured of

adoption. The Southern Pacific road objects to the one-way rate plan, but the other lines think it is the only way left them of protecting their local business. Of course the Southern Pacific can refuse to adopt the plan, and if so, that would kill it. In that case, however, the western roads would simply say that under such circustances they did CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23 .- Saad Ed- not care to go into the business at all. The result of that course would be to command the Turkish troops at Janina, take the convention away from San in Epirus, started for the frontier, with Francisco and leave the Southern Pa-

### cific in the cold. CHINESE DIPLOMATS.

The New Chinese Minister and Suite Make a Stop in Chicago. CHICAGO, April 24.—Accompanied by 50 or 60 Chinamen of high and low detured by the Greeks), there were evi- dinary and minister plenipotentiary from China to the United States, Spain The belongings of the Turks were and Peru, reached Chicago on his way to everywhere scattered about. The pre- Washington. The party was met at fect of Arta has reached Fillipiada. the Northwestern depot by a number of

#### principal streets of the city. The party left later for Washington. MURDER AND SUICIDE.

chweig Kills His Forme Employer and Himself at Chicago. CHICAGO, April 24. - John H. Rasp, a wholesale liquor dealer, was shot and killed by his former secretary and confidential clerk, D. W. Braunschweig, who afterward put the revolver to his own temple and killed himself.

The murder and suicide occurred in Raap's private office at 472 Milwaukee stantinople, dated midnight Thursday, svenue in the presence of Philip Solosaying that the news of the Turkish mon, a deputy sheriff, who had a capies high standard they have established. defeat in Greece has just reached that for Braunschweig's arrest on a charge A hundred bad machines sold in Engof embezzlement.

# EXHAUSTED GREEKS,

After Days and Nights of Continuous Fighting,

Retreat Before Superior Numbers, Abandoning Many Guns and Great Quantitles of Stores-Will Occupy Sec-

ond and Stronger Positions. An Aspect of Dignified Endurance and Un-

abated Enthusiasm at Athens. ATHENS, April 25, Noon.-It is useless to deny that a very gloomy outlook of the war is taken here by the better informed. There are, however, nosigns of panie. The city exhibits an attitute of dignified endurance, while many persons still show an unabated enthusiasm for fight. This is particularly noticeable among the wounded have been discussed and partly dis- now in Athens. Their desire seems to be to be healed in order that they may rejoin their colors. Naturally, this spirit is much fostered by the confirmation The Turks are greatly dismayed by it disappears, creating a larger demand of the reports that the Turks have for American products at higher burned the Greek wounded in a church prices, causing hasty speculative selling | at Kurtzivoli. The Turks lighted fires. under the bodies of wounded beasts. continuous buying by foreign investors | Many of the Greeks implored their comrades to kill them, others committed

It is reluctantly believed by some in Athenian circles that the retreat was somewhat disorderly, and that some of the rise. Since Russia and the Danu- the guns were abandoned with butbian states will be likely to ship wheat | feeble | defense. It seems probable, scantily, especial needs and much however, that in the main the retreat

This morning the word goes forth here that the government will perdrawn from this country, and the severe in the struggle with greater determination. The report, however, has not served to allay the growing irritation at the belief that, even if Greece could not hold her own, the non-offensive policy manifested in the orders of the crown prince not to attack, was idiotic and un-Grecian. The retreat to Pharsala is considered a poor response to the flery speeches of the Crown Prince Constantine to his

Naturally, all sorts of reasons are advanced to explain why the Greeks retreated, the more candid admitting that the Turk was too strong. It was also pointed out that the Turkish cavalry did much to turn the scale in fa-

vor of Edhem Pasha. The Greek fleet is also the subject of many curious reports, one of which asserts that the eastern squadron has bombarded Dedeagach. It is known that the Turks yesterday ordered that all the lanterns in the lighthouse on the gulf of Salonica, should remain unlighted. Five ironelads and four torpedo boats are operating along the coast between Platamona and Katerina. The British and French subjects in black sheets for tinning, and yet residing at Volo have addressed their prices of iron and unfinished products respective envoys here, begging for are lower, demand not yet equalling the dispatch of war ships to Volo to

protect them. The envoys have wired to their governments and to the admirals at Canea, but at Athens it is considered unnecessary to comply with the request, as an be supplied fast enough at \$21.75. attack upon Volo is no part of the Turkish programme.

> The End of the War Supposed to be Near. LONDON, April 25.-What seems likely to be the last week of the war is entered upon to-day. It is difficult from the tangle of conflicting telegrams to understand the exact position of affairs. Following the Greek defeat at La-

> rissa, London opinion to-day is almost unanimous that the end is in sight, and this view is probably shared by the powers, as they are already moving to intervene. It is believed that intervention will

first take the form of a suggestion of armistice, to which the combatants would no doubt agree. Since yesterday afternoon the British foreign office has been in close communication with the other members of the European concert, Great Britain suggesting that the time has now arrived for them to act. The French, German and Italian governments have already responded, offering to agree, though the German government adds as a condition that it will be necessary to exact a pledge from Greece to obey

the mandate of Europe when this mandate is again given. The British foreign office believes that Greece will give this pledge, as the disasters which have overtaken her have demonstrated that Turkey still possesses a formidable fighting machine, a fact which must have a sobering effect upon the popular demand for war at Athens, and which will permit the Greek nation to climb down without disgrace, after a superb vindication of the personal courage of the Greek troops and a gratifying

A Crushing Blow Upon the Greek Lines. ATHENS, April 25, 4 a. m.-About three o'clock yesterday afternoon the officials in charge of the telegraph office at Larissa, observing a cloud of dust raised by the advancing cavalry of the Turks, asked leave to dynamite the office. He was directed to leave it. Since 3:30 p. m, Saturday, the Larissa office had made no response to calls from Athens.

demonstration of Hellenic patriotism.

A dispatch from Reveni says that Edham Pasha on learning that the Greeks had been ordered to fall back attempted to deliver a crushing blow with a considerable force, which had been resting 36 hours and succeeded in breaking through the Greek lines in several places.

# WHEELS AND WHEELMEN.

American bicycles made a pronounced impression at the Dublin Arizona has a bicycle manufacturing

company located at Phoenix, and expects to turn out 1,000 wheels this A match-box attached to the handlebar is the latest device. Its chief use will be for women, who have no handy

pockets, like men, in which to carry matches and other necessaries. It is held by some persons that the true definition of a scorcher is "one who affects a hot pace, makes pedestrians boiling mad, warms up the police and gets censured in court, after which he complains that it is a burning

shame."

English cycle critics are writing very bitter articles about American bicycles, and finding numerous reasons why no one should buy them. This is pretty good evidence that some one is buying them, and the sales will increase if American makers will keep up to the land will prevent the sale of 1,000 good